Gene Editing/Chestnut Deregulatory Steps

• White House Executive Order on Biotechnology – Mid-October 2018

The EO language states:

Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)

EPA has committed:

- 1) Genome Edited PIPs Exemption
- 2) Genome Edited PIPs Expedited Review Process
- 3) Regulatory Assistance
- 4) Exemption for Transgenic Blight Resistant American Chestnut Resistant PIP
- 5) Unified Biotechnology Regulation Website

Upcoming Public Engagements

- 6th Plant Genomics & Gene Editing Congress at a Gene Editing Regulation Panel in Philadelphia, PA on October 1st
- Specialty Crops Regulatory Assistance (SCRA) 'Nuts and Bolts of Biotech Regulations' Workshop for October 3 through 5, 2018 in Riverdale, Maryland